

I am concerned that the public interest is not going to be served by the proposed repeal of rules that prohibit ownership of TV stations and newspapers in the same geographic area by the same media company. I feel that this will further diminish the quality of news reporting. As TV news becomes less and less critical and more and more sensational, intelligent consumers have come to rely more heavily on print media for balanced and in-depth reporting. The ability of serious journalists to do quality journalism is more at-risk than it has ever been.